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FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 1894.

The revolution in Brazil has ended with the surrender of the insurgents.

Gov. Brown is pronounced as a candidate for United States Senate by the Louisville Courier.

Hon. Jas. H. Mulligan, of Lexington, has been appointed Consul General at Samoa, a very pleasant position.

It is expected that the Tariff Bill will be passed in the hands of the President not later than June 1st. The Republicans are preparing to prolong the suspense as long as possible, and this is allowing some for their obstruction.

It is thought that the deficit in Government's revenues this year, which had been estimated at \$75,000,000, may be below \$70,000,000. The lower estimate is based upon an expected increase in revenues on account of the probable withdrawal of whisky from bond to avoid the increased tax.

Congressman Newton C. Blanchard has been appointed to fill the vacancy caused in the United States Senate by Senator White's promotion. The appointment is very satisfactory to the country, as Mr. Blanchard supported the Wilson bill in the lower house and will do his duty in the Senate on the tariff issue.

The Pollard-Breckinridge case is now occupying a good deal of space in the daily newspapers and in the minds and mouths of the people. The trial is quite a sensational affair and has this week had such variations as a personal encounter between the attorneys, and a severe fainting spell by Miss Pollard. The outcome looks very unfavorable for Breckinridge.

The negroes of Crittenden county have become tired of supporting the Republican party and never being recognized on any of the tickets. They recently held an indignation meeting and demanded that one of their race be nominated for Jailor and one for Assessor. It remains now to be seen what the party will do. The Republican party of Kentucky is willing enough to have the colored contingent vote as a unit with the party, but when it comes to dividing the spoils that come an entirely different face on it.—Henderson Glennot.

The Carnegie Company has made offers to the Louisville Iron Company and the Bellair Steel Company of \$75,000 each to shut down. Both companies have recently rejected their offers and have been vigorously competing with the Carnegie Company. After having industries to shut down the cry is then raised that the work stopped because of the prospects of a reduction of the tariff. This is only one of the many dishonorable schemes employed to pull the wool over the eyes of voters. The whole thing is a disgraceful fraud and certainly ought to be enough to disgust and turn from the Republican party every honest man in it.

Assistant Clerk of the House Green R. Keller, in writing to his paper, the Carlisle Mercury, pays the following tribute to the present General Assembly: "With an experience running far into the past, I feel that I can safely pronounce this one of the best legislative bodies assembled here for years. What they have undertaken they have promptly disposed of, and by the failure of past Legislatures they have been compelled to do many things that were not pleasant in the way of making appropriations. They have placed the asylums for lunatics and other unfortunate in first-class condition, and fixed them for years to come. Kentucky has few things that reflect more to its credit than its eleemosynary institutions, and this Legislature is entitled to much credit for doing its duty in this line."

James Mathie's Moves see Bowels Each Day. In order to be healthy this is necessary.

**The Farmer's Side.**

Cat Ridge, Ky., Mar. 2, 1894.  
Ed. News: Another bad day suggests (by your permission and aid) another short talk with our farmers on political economy.

I see "Perseus" has again let off his "hawk-trap," in the Republican. He puts me in the mind of a fly. You shoo him, but he won't stay shooed. His talk is as awkward as a woman in a coal-mine. His utterances are uttered on authority of the utterer. But Mr. Editor I cannot assume to ask space to answer these little "jumping jack" correspondents. Life is too dear and too short to be "flailing old straw."

What the people want is a clear-cut understanding of the facts, backed up by history, statistics and the law.

That there is little or no money in the hands of our farmers and laborers is a fact admitted by all. There was a time when we all had money and property. What has become of it, and how did it leak out of our hands? Did some fat-jawed, bull-necked, scorkraut looking fellow come along and say, "Here! I want that money you have, and those fat hogs and cattle," or have they been leaving you by degrees, hardly perceptible. May I ask you to just stop and think for a moment, and see if all this property and money has suddenly left you, as if blown away by a hurricane. Or has it been going little by little, year after year? You know. Answer yourself the question. The Republican party would have you believe that the Democrat party has mesmerized you and deprived you of all this money and property, since the fourth of March last. Is it so or did we have it at the fourth of last March. Is it not a fact beyond dispute that our fathers and grandfathers were far better off as farmers than we are? Any farmer that can count as many summers as I, can look back and see that the farmers and laborers of this country have been gradually going down, down hill year by year until today they stand at the door of want and distress.

The day was when the farmer could console himself with having a yearly supply in store. They were able to garner a smoke-house full of bacon, cribs of corn, bins of wheat, coffee by the bag and cloth by the bolt. Plenty of stock and a stockin' leg full of money. No debts, no mortgages. Follow if you please his course down the lane of time. Gaze upon his awful and hopeless condition now. View him as he walks in from his field of daily toil—a man full of years, bent in frame, haggard, tooth-sore, baling in step. He spends an evening meditating upon the past: thinks of the good old days of plenty and comfort. It's all gone now. But where? To some it is as easy to tell where the years have gone.

I call to my mind man after man, that file the picture framed, and hundreds of your readers can so picture their own cases and that of their neighbors.

What has brought us to our present condition has been the 49th problem of Euclid. I hesitate, but must tell some of these good old christian friends of mine that they have been warming and nourishing in their own bosoms the serpent that has administered the deadly virus through the past years of resiliency we have schemed, planned, plotted, resolved and organized various societies all of which have proven futile to the end desired. At last with a defiant step we thundered against the door of the merchant. He started stores, believing that the merchant was responsible for our troubles. Sold goods on a 10% basis. Still no relief, but bad matters growing worse all the while. Our new departure proved a failure, except that the merchant is the "cats paw" at the chestnut roasting. But my brother in distress, let me tell you that when we knocked at the door of the merchant we aimed at the right place but awoke the wrong man. He is not responsible. The merchant does not make the price of the goods on his shelf, much less the price he pays us for our wheat, pork and farm produce.

There is yet a great, higher cause for our suffering and distress. Our property, money, farms and in many instances our all, have been wrested out of our hands by vile and malicious laws enacted by corrupt men in office, that they might be kept in office through the villainous plan of hoarding the wealth of the country in the hands of those who would contribute aid to their re-election.

If Satan had assembled the famous council of Pandemonium, where all the principalities and powers of hell meet in convention, and dispatched to earth a demon best qualified to retard the progress of the yeomanry and wage earner, to blight the hopes of our youthful blood, and swell the population of the distressed and starving, he could not have sent a more potent agent than the leaders of the late Republican party. Their success

has met their most sanguine hopes. By their inhuman and infamous acts they have today millions upon millions of true and honest hearted citizens chained, fettered and looked by the key of servitude, which means distress, hunger, starvation, disease and death. They have builded for themselves a monument of distress, the base of which reaches from the Atlantic to the Pacific, from the lakes to the gulf. One the one side is encribed in letters of human bones "McKinleyism," on another, "Centralize wealth that we may be perpetuated in office," on another, "Tax necessities, but not incomes." Floating from the mast head of this shaft is the last quarterly pass word, "Let's reduce wages but sell by the old list."

Mr. Editor, circumstances will not permit me to add further to this. But in a coming day I will by your permission give a history of the Republican party, showing their acts, that your readers may more clearly define who is responsible.

COLD BLAST.

A MILLION FRIENDS.  
A friend in need is a friend indeed, and not less than one million people have found out a friend in Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Cough and Colds. If you have never used this Great Cough Medicine, one trial will convince you that it has wonderful curative powers in all diseases of Throat, Chest and Lungs. Each bottle guaranteed to do all that is claimed, or money will be refunded. Trial bottles FREE at W. T. Evans' Drug Store, Large bottles 50c and \$1.

PEACH ORCHARD.

The general health of our village is good. We don't think there is a single case of sickness at this writing.

L. S. Johnson is here doing some surveying for the coal co.

The Select School at this place is progressing nicely.

The mines are running every day, and are still behind with orders.

Mrs. J. C. Butler and children, of Louisville, are spending a few days with home folks.

Mrs. Coon Frank was called to Ironton by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Russ.

Ralph West and John Secrest, two miners, were pretty badly bruised by a piece of falling slate, neither was dangerously hurt, though it was a narrow escape.

Miss Ella Johnson will leave Saturday, for a visit to friends in Huntington and Gayandotte. She will also go to Cincinnati.

Hubble Keys, Frank Ward, C. W. Graves and Willie Johnson took in the nights at Inez, Sunday.

Mrs. W. N. Bolling is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Duncan, at Paintsville.

Miss Laura Berry is teaching school at Richardson.

Jas. Abbott and Son John, are working at the mines here.

J. D. Copley and wife are visiting home folks on Tag.

If this misses the waste basket Mr., we'll come again.

SAMANTHA.

DEREFIELD.

Died, on the 8th, a little child of Elsie Jobe. The many friends and relation have our heartfelt sympathies.

Some of our neighbors visited church at Irish creek last Sunday and report a good time.

Ben Gils from Calney was the guest of John Large last Sunday.

D. M. Curran and Miss Dovie Wellman, of Daniels creek, are attending school at Blaine.

Born, to the wife of Smith Jobe, a bouncing boy. Smith says he is going to name it Carlisle.

Ben Carter out of F. M. is adding to our town by building a nice dwelling house.

Miss Birdie Rose, one of Derefie's prettiest belles, was the guest of Mrs. Canine Jobe a few days ago.

M. F. Rose has located on Main street.

Born, to the wife of Wm. Plummer, a 12 pound girl. Now Bill smiles and whistles too.

T. Y. T.

Mr. Albert Favorite, of Arkansas City, Kan., wishes to give our readers the benefit of his experience with colds. He says "I contracted a cold early last spring that settled on my lungs, and had hardly recovered from it when I caught another that hung on all summer and left me with a hacking cough which I thought I never would get rid of. I had used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy some fourteen years ago with much success, and concluded to try it again. When I had got through with one bottle my cough had left me, and I have not suffered with a cough or cold since. I have recommended it to others, and all speak well of it." 50 cent bottles for sale by A. M. Hughes, Louisville, Ky.

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This salve is the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all eruptions, and positively cures piles, if properly applied. It is wanted for its perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by A. M. Hughes, Louisville, Ky.

\$25,000 in Premiums.

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